

## **AGENDA**

### **NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION**

**Lansing Center  
333 E. Michigan  
Lansing  
-and-  
Stevens T. Mason Building  
530 W. Allegan  
Lansing**

**THURSDAY-FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5-6, 2004**

(Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are open to the public)

### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2004**

**11:00 a.m. NRC POLICY COMMITTEE ON TECHNOLOGY, INFORMATION,  
MARKETING AND EDUCATION**

*Stevens T. Mason Building, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room*

1. General Update for New Committee Chair Brown
2. Watchable Wildlife Guide
3. Discuss and Develop Draft NRC Goal: Formulate a Strategic Plan to Better Communicate and Interact with the Governor's Office, Legislature and Constituents

**1:00 p.m. NRC POLICY COMMITTEE ON WILDLIFE ISSUES**

*Stevens T. Mason Building, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room*

1. Proposed Trapping Ban – Traverse City
2. Proposed Wildlife Regulations
3. Wildlife Surveys – Informational Presentation
4. Urban Wildlife Issues

**1:00 p.m. NRC POLICY COMMITTEE ON LAND MANAGEMENT**

*Stevens T. Mason Building, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room*

1. Land Review Strategy – Implementation Update
2. Metallic Mineral Leasing and Mining – Briefing

**3:00 p.m. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

*Lansing Center, Room 201*

1. Presentation by the Gaylord-to-Cheboygan Trail Workgroup
2. Changes in Director's Office Responsibilities and Administration

**4:30 p.m. PUBLIC APPEARANCES:** (The actual order of appearances MAY change and MAY BE grouped by subject matter.)  
*Lansing Center, Room 201*

Merino Bernardi – Snowmobiling Issues  
David Geistler, Mid-Michigan Long Spurs – Bear Tags  
Marc Yenkel, QDMA – Quality Deer Management – DMU 118  
Ron Spaulding, United Sportsman's Alliance – Chronic Wasting Disease  
Paul Rose, Hillman – Deer Baiting  
Jason Miller, Brighton – Brighton Recreation Area Boundaries  
Mark Polsdofer, Representative Rich Brown's Office – Supplemental Feeding in the Upper Peninsula  
Ed Spinazzola, Quality Deer Management Association – QDM  
Jim Campbell, New Boston – Bobcat Trapping in the Lower Peninsula  
Jenness Weigand, Brighton Township – Island Lake Shooting Range  
Rick Weigand, Brighton Township – Island Lake Shooting Range  
Marilyn Carr, Brighton Township – Island Lake Shooting Range  
Doug Carr, Brighton Township – Island Lake Shooting Range  
Guy Dobies, Brighton Township – Island Lake Shooting Range  
Lillian Hopkins, Brighton Township – Island Lake Shooting Range  
Chris Tracy – Quality Deer Management in DMU 118  
Arch Reeves, Pigeon River Country Advisory Council – Snowmobile Trails  
Tom Alward – Quality Deer Management in DMU 118

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2004**

*Stevens T. Mason Building, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room*

**8:30 a.m. REGULAR MEETING OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION**

**DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Staff Reports

**COMMISSION BUSINESS**

2004 NRC Goals

**I. FOR INFORMATION ONLY – NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION IN MARCH**

1. Elk Drawing Selection Procedures – FOR INFORMATION ONLY..... 1-4
2. Bear Management Unit Boundary Change –  
FOR INFORMATION ONLY ..... 5-6

## **II. NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION**

Approval of Minutes – January 8-9, 2004 Natural Resources Commission Meeting

## **III. DIRECTOR'S ACTION**

1. Falconry Regulations .....7-10
2. Fifteen Direct Metallic Mineral Leases in Baraga and Dickinson Counties ..... 11-13
3. Twenty-one Direct Metallic Mineral Leases in Menominee County ..... 14-19
4. **LAND AND FACILITIES TRANSACTIONS (Listing Page 20)**
  - A. **Wildlife Land Acquisition and Gift Acceptance**

Nayanquing Point Wildlife Area – Bay County  
The David and Norma Dake Tract  
Land Transaction Case #20031070 .....21-23
  - B. **Parks and Recreation Land Acquisitions**
    1. Manistique River Boating Access Site – Schoolcraft County  
Land Transaction Case #20020068 .....24-27
    2. Port Crescent State Park – Huron County  
Land Transaction Case #20000205 .....28-30
  - C. **Sale of Dedicated State-owned Lands**
    1. Gladwin Forest Management Unit – Midland County  
Land Transaction Case #20030013 .....31-33
    2. Roscommon Forest Management Unit – Roscommon County  
Land Transaction Case #20030027 .....34-36

**If you are unable to attend the Natural Resources Commission meeting but wish to submit written comments on agenda items, please write to: Natural Resources Commission, P.O. Box 30028, Lansing, Michigan 48909. If you would like further information on agenda items or would like to address the Commission, please contact Teresa Gloden at 517-373-2352, or e-mail: [glodent@michigan.gov](mailto:glodent@michigan.gov).**

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